nd seven hundred rtificate is thereon appears to have that sundry sur-, or tract of land, from, some one of e's Manor, or the

of Maryland, That shore be, and he ongst the records e said office, purf land commonly Hades, containing es, lying formerly d dated the eighth undred and sixtyfrom the then goe Frederick, Lord akins, then one of under seal, of the ereof as aforesaid, intents and purced and proved.

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Baltimore Water and others, have forth, that a new g North Lane, in--street, in the city turnpike road, in esirable and necesntly advantageous, zens of Baltimore, it as follows; that of Baltimore-street, e east side of North ersection with the ry's canal, thence intersection with Jones's Falls to a , east thirteen per ace wall of Keller along the east side of the abutment paroad ; Therefore, of Maryland, That son, James Wilson, ajority of them, be rs to open, extend as the said commissioners shall judge most conducive to the public convenience, Dec. Ses. 1816 not exceeding the width of South-street; and the said street, when so opened and extended, shall be deemed and taken, and is hereby declared to be, a public street and highway for ever thereafter; and the said commissioners are hereby required to return a plot of the said street, when opened and extended, to the office of the register of the city of Baltimore, there to be filed.

2. And be it enacted, That the aforesaid commissioners shall, Damages to be after having given at least ten days notice in one of the news- assessed, &c. papers at the city of Baltimore, proceed to assess and value, (on oath) what damages may be sustained by any person or persons whomsoever, by opening and extending the said street, and shall also declare what sum of money each individual or company benefitted thereby shall respectively contribute and pay towards compensating those who are injured by the opening and extending of the said street; and the names of the person or persons, or company, and the sum of money which they shall respectively be obliged to pay, shall be returned under the hands and seals

of the said commissioners, or a majority of them, to the office of the register of the city of Baltimore, to be filed and kept in his

office; and the person or persons, or company, benefitted by the opening of said street, shall respectively pay the sum or sums of

money so charged or assessed to him or them, with legal interest

thereon from the time limited for the payment thereof. 3. And be it enacted, That the sums of money assessed and Money assescharged to each individual or company benefitted as aforesaid, sed to be a lien shall be a lien upon the property so benefitted thereby to the full on property. amount thereof.

4. And be it enacted, That the said street shall not be extended Street not to or opened through the property of any individual injured thereby, be opened until until the damage by them sustained, and assessed as aforesaid damage is until the damage by taem sustained, and assessed as aforesaid, paid. shall be paid, or secured to be paid, to their satisfaction.

5. And be it enacted, That in case the obstructions in the said Removal of street are not removed within thirty days after the payment, or obstructions. tender of payment, of the damages as aforesaid, the said commissioners, or a majority of them, are hereby authorised and directed to remove the same without delay.

6. And be it enacted, That the said commissioners shall have Commissionfull power and authority to assess and levy, upon the persons or ers to assess company benefitted by opening and extending the said street, money on persuch sum of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses sons benefitted. incurred in the execution of this act.

CHAPTER 250.

An act to provide for Schools, and for the promotion of Passed Feb 4. Education, in Caroline County.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, County to be That William Potter, Richard Hughlett and Elisha Dawson, of school sections, Caroline county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, and they, or a majority of them, shall have full power and authority to lay out and divide said county into school sections, of not greater dimensions than equal to a space of six miles square, regulating the size and boundary lines of said sections by